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## FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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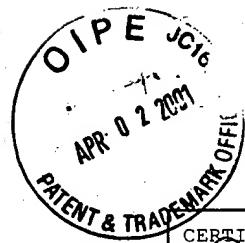
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Jan Hendrik Wijngaard, et al  
Serial No. : 09/735,723  
Filing Date : December 7, 2000  
Examiner : N/A  
Group Art Unit : 1746  
For : METHOD FOR REMOVING  
LAYERS OF HARD MATERIAL

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**SUBMISSION OF MISSING PARTS**

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Parts dated February 6, 2001 (copy attached), applicant respectfully submits the following documents to be entered into the file of the above-identified application:

1. Executed Declaration/Power of Attorney (3 Pgs.);
2. Assignment Document w/ Recordal Cover Sheet; and
3. Check - Amt. \$170.00 No. 3537 (Surcharge w/ Assignment for a Large Entity).

Since all formal matters are now in order, it is respectfully requested that the above-identified application be passed on to examination.

Respectfully submitted,



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